

§IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)	
)	Group Art Unit: 3734
Clifford TEOH, et al.)	Confirmation No.: 2462
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Serial No.: 10/791,092)	Examiner: Kevin Thao TRUONG
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Filed: March 1, 2004)	
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NON-OVERLAPPING SECTIONS)	

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action made final mailed May 19, 2006, and therefore this paper is timely filed within the three-month shortened statutory deadline. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this submission or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1105. Applicant believes that no fee is required by the filing of this Amendment and Response. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed along with this paper, thereby removing the finality of the outstanding Office Action. **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this submission.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this submission.

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I hereby certify, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.8, that this paper (along with any item(s) referred to as being attached or enclosed) is: being electronically transmitted, deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO (571) 273-8300, on the date indicated below:

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